		H. P.
	Application No.	Applicant(s)
Nation of Allertability	10/719,926	TAKAOKA ET AL.
Notice of Allowability	Examiner	Art Unit
	Deloris Bryant	2813
The MAILING DATE of this communication appeal claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85; NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT R of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313	(OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this apply or other appropriate communication (IGHTS). This application is subject to	plication. If not included will be mailed in due course. THIS
1. This communication is responsive to May 1, 2006.		
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 17-21.		
3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority unally All b) □ Some* c) □ None of the: 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have 2. □ Certified copies of the priority documents have 3. □ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have 1. □ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have 2. □ Certified copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have 3. □ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have 1. □ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have 1. □ Certified copies not received: □ Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONN THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE. 4. □ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be subminformal part of the priority of the certification of the priority of the priority of the center of the priority of the center of the priority of the priori	e been received. e been received in Application No comments have been received in this for this communication to file a reply MENT of this application. Initted. Note the attached EXAMINER res reason(s) why the oath or declara st be submitted. son's Patent Drawing Review (PTO- c's Amendment / Comment or in the Comment or in the Comment of the drawing the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(posit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL researces)	national stage application from the complying with the requirements 'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF tion is deficient. 948) attached Office action of the back) of d). must be submitted. Note the
Attachment(s) 1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 2. ☐ Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) 3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/Paper No./Mail Date 4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material	6. Interview Summary Paper No./Mail Da 08), 7. Examiner's Amenda	te

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

DETAILED ACTION

Applicant's response to non-final rejection dated February 7, 2006 is acknowledged.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 17-21 are allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: In a method of fabricating a semiconductor device, Nakamura et al (US 2003/0006441) does teach a second insulation layer (Fig. 1; 11b) formed on a first insulation layer (Fig. 1; 11a). However, the prior art does not teach or fairly suggest, in combination with the other claimed limitations, forming target marks in the substrate to correspond to the semiconductor chips and a second insulation layer having a thickness exceeding a difference in thickness between the semiconductor chips and that of the first insulation layer.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Deloris Bryant whose telephone number is (571) 272-8670. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 7:30-4:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Carl Whitehead can be reached on (571) 272-1702. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

Information regarding the status of an application may be obtained from the Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system. Status information for published applications may be obtained from either Private PAIR or Public PAIR. Status information for unpublished applications is available through Private PAIR only. For more information about the PAIR system, see http://pair-direct.uspto.gov. Should you have questions on access to the Private PAIR system, contact the Electronic Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free). If you would like assistance from a USPTO Customer Service Representative or access to the automated information system, call 800-786-9199 (IN USA OR CANADA) or 571-272-1000.

dsb